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Inventor: Kazuhiko OKAMATSU)
Application No.: Not Yet Assigned)
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For: **DISK DRIVE APPARATUS AND)
METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM,
AND PROGRAM (AS AMENDED)**)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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~~DISK DRIVING DEVICE AND METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM, AND~~
~~PROGRAM~~ DISK DRIVE APPARATUS AND METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM, AND
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